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SENATOR BURBACH: Mr. President, Members of the Legislature, I would ask unanimous consent that we do read at this time LB 218. This is the bill that has to do with the changing of the date or firming up a date for Decoration Day, Memorial Day. The introducer and possibly some others will not be with us tomorrow. It is set for Final Reading tomorrow. I ask for unanimous consent that it be brought up at this time. I ask to suspend the Rules to bring up LB 218 at this time.

PRESIDENT: The question is, shall the Rules be suspended to permit the reading of LB 218 on Final Reading and passage. Record your vote. Have you voted? We are still on Final Reading. Has everyone voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 35 ayes, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The Rules are suspended. We are still on Final Reading so again I would ask all Senators to kindly take their chairs.

CLERK: LB 218 introduced by Senator Luedtke of the 28th District. Read.

(RECORDER TURNED OFF FOR FINAL READING: LB 218)

PRESIDENT: In the South balcony are over 100 students from the Gretna Public School. They come from the district represented by Senator Keyes. Welcome to the Legislature. Come back again. Thank you for coming.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I would request that this 218 be expedited to the Governor, inasmuch as it does contain the emergency clause and it would be available this year as soon as we can...right. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: It will be so ordered. We are now off General File or what?

CLERK: Mr. President, I move to return LB 8 to Select File for a specific amendment. Signed Senator Anderson.

PRESIDENT: We are still on Final Reading, then. Senator Anderson. Could we have some order? We are still on Final Reading. Will all Senators please take their places? The Chair recognizes Senator Anderson.

SENATOR ANDERSON: Mr. President, this is the bill that has been bracketed on Final Reading for sometime pending the outcome of LB 27 which has been passed and signed into law by the Governor. This bill began life as a Revisor Bill attempting to coordinate the DAS statutes with the Auditor's statutes providing for the payment of 16¢ per mile to state employees. It was subsequently amended to take into account the provisions of LB 27 and then came up on Final Reading and was brought back because of some concerns, one, about the fact that LB 27 had not passed at that time and, two, about language in the bill that referred to, most convenient method or means of transportation. I have prepared an amendment that strikes the reference to most convenient method of transportation, simply cross-references this